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This amendment is filed in response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment dated April 9, 2004. Claims 1, 2, 4 and 7 are pending in the application. The applicant asserts that specific claims are now in condition for allowance based on the amendments and remarks below.

Please amend the application as follows:

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